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SUBJECT: HORTHROP PAGE PROPOSAL FOR LIBYAN AIR

DEFENSE SYSTEM

REF: STATE 46943

ACCORDING TO NORTHROP PAGE TRIPOLI REP MERRELL, IN ABSENCE OF USG APPROVAL OF NORTHROP PAGE'S PROPOSAL, LIBYANS HAVE RESUMED NEGOTIATIONS WITH FRENCH COMPANY, THOMPSON HOUSTON CSF, WHICH IS EAGER TO SELL THEM SIMILAR AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM. CHIEF OF STAFF YOUNES TOLD LT. COL. JAHMI TO REOPEN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE FRENCH MARCH 24, AND JAHMI IN TURN PASSED INFO ON TO HIM, MERRELL SAID. HE SAID KINNALLY OF NORTHROP PAGE'S WASHINGTON OFFICE HAD SUGGESTED HE TELL US ABOUT THIS LATEST DEVELOPMENT.
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